

NOTICE SHEET

Five Dock Drummoyne Congregation



Welcome to any who are visiting. Morning tea is held after the service. Please come and enjoy a chat and cuppa.



Services today – 21 May, 2017

Easter 6

9.30am Five Dock – Rev Don Everhart

Next Sunday – 28 May, 2017

Easter 7

9.30am Five Dock – Rev Don Everhart

DIARY DATES

Prayer Time meets in the hall every Sunday at 8.30am for 30 minutes. All Welcome.

Monday Night Bible Study will meet at Marie's home at 7.30pm. Study follows a viewing from the DVD "Jesus the Game Changer".

Church Council Meeting today at 11am.

Sunday 28 May

Worship Committee meets after service.

Scripture Union NSW is advising all supporters of their 150th Anniversary celebrations being held from 29th May to the 4th June. Scripture Union has produced a commemorative Bible to distribute to every ISCF group across the State. These will also be used in the missions and camps ministries. Pray that these Bibles will be well received by the young people who are given one. Scripture Union Bible reading guides have long been a valuable tool to help people dig deeper into the Bible and to encourage their daily Bible reading habits.

The amount of \$233 has been forwarded in support of **Matt & Donna**. Thank you to all for your contribution.

The minutes of the of **Worship Committee** meeting held on 30 April and PAC held on 17 May are on the Notice Board for your perusal.

40 Days of Prayer - the following is an excerpt from a letter by Stuart McMillan, President of the Uniting Church in Australia:

"To mark our 40th Anniversary I invite all Uniting Church in Australia members to 40 days of prayer, from Sunday 14 May until our historic inauguration date of 22 June. I encourage all members to reflect on our journey together as a pilgrim people, and seek the guidance of the Holy Spirit. We are to pray for renewal for ourselves personally, our communities, our Church, our nation, and our world.

My hope in calling the Church to this season of prayer is that we will draw close to God, who through the Holy Spirit will lead us in our life as a fellowship of reconciliation seeking to witness in our communities to God's love in Christ and to discern God's directions for us, including correcting that which is erroneous in our life.

I pray this season will encourage and vitalise us as a community of Christ."

More information and resources are available at:
<https://assembly.uca.org.au/news/item/2629-40-days-of-prayer>



Praise and Prayer Points

EASTER 6

"I will praise you O Lord with all my heart
I will tell of your mighty works.
I will be glad and rejoice in you
I will sing of your Name O Most High" Psalm 9:1,2

- ❖ **Praise** and give thanks to our wonderful God whose love is from everlasting to everlasting. **Praise Him** that whatever concerns and joys we have in our lives He is here to give us daily strength and to share our joys.
- ❖ **Pray** and give thanks as the National Day of Thanksgiving is celebrated on Saturday 27 May. **Give thanks** for our God-given heritage as a nation.
- ❖ **Give thanks** to God and pray for the prisoners who came to faith in Christ through the Prisoners Journey course conducted in many gaols throughout the country. **Pray** for prison chaplains ministering to inmates, sharing with them God's love and hope in their lives.
- ❖ **Thank God** for tradespeople, builders, plumbers etc. **Thank God** for those in our lives, family and friends who are there for us on our life's journey and are always there when we need them. (Vision Christian Radio)
- ❖ **Pray** for the youth of the Solomons who are on a rebellious rampage against the previously strong Christian values of this Island nation. (Vision Christian Radio)
- ❖ Continue to **pray** for the Toulmin family as they faithfully serve their Lord through their ministry with Wycliffe Bible Translators.
- ❖ **Praise God** for a new Christian radio station recently built by volunteers and overlooking Honiara. **Pray** the station will be live by 7th August an important day in the Solomons. (Vision Radio)